THE COLUMBIAN MIRROR
AND
ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.

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☞ VENDUE.

ON TUESDAY and FRIDAY, in every week, at 10 o'clock in the morning, will be expoſed for ſale at the Vendue Store (corner of Prince and Water ſtreets)

A VARIETY OF

WET & DRY GOODS.

Of which the particulars will be given previous to the ſale.

The VENDUE MASTERS will always keep the Store open for the reception of GOODS, and ſelling of ſuch articles therein between the times of public ſales as may be on limitation. They likewiſe offer their ſervices in tranſacting any kind of Commiſſion Buſineſs.

MARSTELLER & SONS.

April 5th, 1796.

Stephen Alley

Has juſt received and for ſale, an aſſortment of Engliſh Shoes, viz.

Ladies' variegated Kid,

Morocco and Stuff Slippers, Sandals, &c. &c.

June 28. eptf.

FOR LONDON,

THE SHIP MOUNT VERNON, JOHN T. BROOKES, MASTER.

She will ſail about the 12th of July, two-thirds of her Cargo being engaged. She has excellent accommodation for Paſſengers, and has room for 100 hogſheads of Tobacco at a reaſonable freight. Apply to the Maſter on board, or to

ROBERT HAMILTON.

June 4.

EXHIBITION

Of Figures at full length of the Execution of the late King and Queen of France.

THE late King of France Lewis the XVI, and the Queen Antonietta taking their laſt farewell of each other, in the temple, the day preceding his execution; the whole being a ſtriking likeneſs, in full ſtature, and dreſſed as they were at the time of their impriſonment.

II, The King in repreſentation after his Execution.

III. The Queen ſtanding before the Guillotine; the Prieſt (who is repreſented kneeling before her,) riſing upon his feet, the Queen laying herſelf in the Guillotine and the executioner (ſtanding at the Guillotine,) dropping the knife which ſevers the Head from the Body in one ſecond—the Head falling in a baſket.

The whole is performed by an inviſible machine without any perceivable aſſiſtance, made by one of the firſt Italian artiſts of the name of Columba, in commemoration of this memorable avent.

This exhibition has been admired by the moſt profeſſed judges in Philadelphia and New York, as well as at many other places, and may be ſeen every day from 9 o'clock in the morning until 9 in the evening, at Mr. Jacob Fortney's.

Price 2s. 3.—Children one quarter of a Dollar.

Only to continue a ſhort time.

June 25.

LOST,

BETWEEN George-Town and Alexandria, or in Alexandria at or near Mr. Wiſe's Tavern, a GOLD WATCH SEAL, with a figure of HOPE leaning over an urn, and the inſcription—"*Always in mind.*" Alſo a GOLD RING.—Any perſon who may have found the Seal and Ring, and will deliver them to Joſiah Watſon, Eſq. Alexandria, or to A M. Stewart, Eſq. George-Town, ſhall receive a

Reward of Four Guineas,

or for either of them Two Guineas.

June 28. 3t.

For Sale,

On a credit of three and ſix months,

THE Houſe and Lot on King ſtreet, at preſent occupied by Meſſrs. Robert Patton and Charles Scott. Apply to

AUG. J. SMITH.

June 16. eptf.

Four Dollars Reward.

STRAYED away from the Commons of Alexandria the 29th day of May laſt two MILCH COWS. One is red has ſhort legs, a pretty heavy body, and ſmall horns, one of which appears to have loſt the outer ſhell, and is therefore ſhorter and ſmaller than the other; ſhe has a ſlit in each ear. The other is red and white, has a white face, back and belly, red ſides, long legs, ſlender body and pretty long horns; no ear marks that are recollected. Whoever takes up the ſaid cows and delivers them to the ſubſcriber in Alexandria, ſhall receive the above reward, or two dollars for either of them with reaſonable charges.

Wm. MILNOR, Junr.

CHARLES & ANDREW JAMIESON,

Have juſt received, and offer for ſale at their ſtore, corner of Duke and Union Streets, by wholeſale and retail,

COMMON BARLEY, in barrels and half barrels.

PEARL BARLEY, in kegs,

June 25.

Jamaica Rum, Sugar, and Coffee,

Entitled to the Drawback,

ALSO

Liverpool Salt,

For Sale by

FLETCHER & OTWAY.

June 21.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER, At his ſtore on Harper's Wharf,

French Brandy in Pipes

or barrels; Jamaica ſpirits in hhds. or bbls. ſeveral hundred gallons New-England rum; whiſkey in tierces or barrels; claret wine in tierces; excellent port wine in pipes or ſmaller quantities; Malaga and Liſbon wines in pipes or quarter caſks; byſon, hyſon ſkin and other teas; loaf ſugar by the barrel or loaf; moiſt do. of different qualities, by the hhd. or barrel; St. Ube's ſalt, any quantity above 3 buſhels at 4/3 per do. under, 4/6; Liverpool ſalt in bags, as imported at 22s. per ſack; do. by the buſhel 4/6; excellent cured herrings at five dollars per barrel. Purchaſers, by applying, will find it to their advantage, as I am determined to ſell on reaſonable terms.

ROBERT HENDERSON.

City of Waſhington, May 14, 1796.

THE Commiſſioners give notice, that under the direction of the Preſident of the United States, they will immediately proceed to the ſale of the lots in the ſaid city, and continue the ſame until they ſhall have raiſed a ſum ſufficient to complete the public buildings and to repay all ſums borrowed or hereafter to be borrowed for that purpoſe.—They will ſell on moderate terms and will give a preference to thoſe who mean to improve. One third part of the price will be expected in hand, and the remainder in two equal annual payments, or in deferred ſtock of the United States, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers. Information reſpecting the ſituation and prices of Lots may be had at the Commiſſioner's Office in the ſaid City, where conſtant attendance will be given.

By order,

6. w. THOMAS MUNROE.

JUST RECEIVED, & FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS,

A few pipes and quarter caſks of excellent

Red Port Wine,

Four quarter-caſks of White do. do.

25 do. Malaga.

A few caſks of Old Sherry.

Muſcovado Sugar in barrels.

Four quarter-cheſts of firſt quality Hyſon Tea.

A few hundred Buſhels Stoved Liverpool Salt, to be had cheap.

JAMES PATTON, AND JAMES DYKES.

June 25.

BLANK BONDS FOR SALE AT THE PRINTING-OFFICE.

Patent Burr Mill Stones

MADE on an improved plan lately invented by OLIVER EVANS at his Factory in the Old Windmill in Second Street, between Walnut and Spruce Streets, Philadelphia, by which improvements the Stones are made perfectly regular and true in every reſpect, and balanced on their center, the great advantages of which are well known to all experienced Millers and Millwrights.

BOLTING CLOTHS

Are kept for ſale by OLIVER & EVAN EVANS at the following places, viz. with John Hagerty, Baltimore, Janney & Iriſh, Alexandria, Thomas and Samuel Vowell, Winchester, Lovel and Urquahart, Frederickſburg, all which are warranted.—Applications for Mill Stones at ſaid places will be duly attended to. Buckets for elivators are kept by Andrew & Robert M'Kim, Richmond, and Janney & Iriſh Alexandria.

June 25.

WASHINGTON CANAL LOTTERY.

NO. I.

WHEREAS the State of Maryland has authorized us the underwritten to raiſe twenty-ſix thouſand two hundred and fifty dollars, for the purpoſe of cutting a canal through the City of Waſhington, from the Potomac to the Eaſtern Branch harbour. The following is the ſcheme of No. I.—viz.

PRIZES,		DOLLS.		DOLLS.
1	of	20,000	is	20,000
1	—	10,000	—	10,000
7 laſt drawn tickets each		5,000	are	35,000
6	of	1,000	—	6,000
10	—	400	—	4,000
20	—	100	—	2,000
55	—	50	—	2,750
5,750	—	12	—	69,000
To be raiſed for the canal				26,250
5,850 PRIZES,				175,000
11,640 BLANKS, not 2 to a prize.				
17,500 Tickets, at 10 Dollars,				175,000

☞ The COMMISSIONERS have taken the Securities required by the aforeſaid act for the punctual payment of the Prizes.

The Drawing of this Lottery will commence without delay, as ſoon as the Tickets are ſold, of which timely notice will be given.

Such prizes as are not demanded in ſix months after the drawing is finiſhed, ſhall be conſidered as relinquiſhed for the benefit of the canal, and appropriated accordingly

(Signed)
NOTLEY YOUNG.
DANIEL CARROLL, of D.
LEWIS DEBLOIS.
GEORGE WALKER.
Wm. M. DUNCANSON.
THOMAS LAW.
JAMES BARRY.

☞ Tickets in the above Lottery may be had of Mr. Guy Atkinſon, Fairfax ſtreet, Alexandria.

City of Waſhington, April 23.

HARDWARE.

Joſeph Riddle & Co.

HAVE IMPORTED

In the ſhip Alexandria from Liverpool, a general aſſortment of

HARDWARE.

ALSO,

Dimities, Fuſtians, Jeans, Thickſets, Sheetings, and Iriſh Linens. 4d. 6d. 8d. 10d. 12d. and 20d. Nails and Sprigs aſſorted. Crowley Steel in half faggots. Anvils and Vices.—They have on hand, from their former importations, a great variety of DRY GOODS.—Sail-cloth, from No. 1 to 8. White Lead, Spaniſh Brown, and Yellow Ochre, dry and in oil. Nutmegs, Fig Blue, Alum, Madder, Shot, and Lead. Which they offer for ſale on the uſual credit, at their Wholeſale Warehouſe on Swift's Alley, oppoſite to Patton & Butcher's Iron Store.

May 20

Juſt Received

A Quantity of BOHEA TEA in whole, half and quarter cheſts, freſh and of the beſt quality, imported in the ſhip John Jay, the lateſt veſſel from Canton; a few cheſts Souchong ditto.—20 caſks 10d. 12 and 20d. finiſhed wrought nails; northern rum and gin in barrels; do. prime beef in do. ſugar in do. molaſſes in hhds. two boxes mens' caſtor hats; Ruſſia ſheetings, &c. &c.

For ſale by

John G. Ladd.

June 14.

This Day will be landed

at Col. Gilpin's wharf, from on board the ſchooner Harriot, Joſeph Sandford, Maſter, from Barbados—

45 Hhds. Muſcovado Sugar; 15 barrels do. 26 puncheons Rum; 5 barrels Limes;

For ſale by

JAMES CAVAN.

Who has alſo for Sale,

Loaf Sugar in hogſheads and barrels; Sherry Wine in quarter caſks; Turk's Iſland Salt: Spaniſh Hides of an excellent quality: Beef in barrals; Nankeens by the bundle or package; a ſmall invoice of low priced Iriſh Linens; a few elegant Franklin Stoves and Cedar Poſts.

June 10

A few pounds of Nutmeg;

French Brandy in pipes; Claret in boxes, five years old; Soap in boxes—For Sale on a moderate Credit, by

Francis Vivent.

April 12. t. f.

Twelve Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY from the ſubſcriber, living in Nanjemoy, Charles county, Maryland, early in laſt month, a likely Negro Man, named *CHARLES*, twenty ſeven years old, about five feet ten or eleven inches high, of a very black complexion, rather bow legged, he had on and took with him a ſhort ſouth ſide jacket and overalls of blue cotton, a blue cloth coat with yellow metal buttons, a waiſtcoat ſtriped with red and blue, a pair of white country cotton overalls, a pair of good ſhoes and a new hat, one of naburgh ſhirt and one do. of white linen. He was in the neighbourhood of Alexandria, about Whitſuntide. Whoever will deliver the ſaid negro to me in Charles county, ſhall receive twelve Dollars reward, clear of all expences, or eight Dollars for lodging him in any jail and giving me notice.

JOHN ADDISON.

Nanjamoy, Charles county, June 15th, 1796.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the ſubſcriber, living in Centerville, Loudoun county, on the 13th inſt. a negro man called DAVID, (commonly called Davy Shanklin, about 22 years of age, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, of a yellowiſh complexion, thick lips, has a lazy, ſluggiſh walk, is a very good hand at the whip ſaw, and underſtands blowing rocks tolerably well, his father lives with Mr. Lund Waſhington of Hayfield, and he has a number of relations and acquaintances, in the neighbourhood of the Gum Spring; his clothes unknown as he took a variety with him. I will give 10 dollars reward to any perſon for apprehending ſaid ſlave and bringing him to me in Centerville, if taken in this ſtate, or the above reward if taken out of the ſtate and brought home, or lodged in any gaol ſo that I get him again.

FRANCIS ADAMS.

N. B. All maſters of veſſels or others are hereby forwarned from carrying off or harbouring ſaid ſlave at their peril.

Centerville, June 25, 1796.

LOST.

ON Sunday laſt a GOLD SEAL.—The perſon who may have found it will receive a handſome reward by leaving it with the PRINTER.

June 25,

The Columbian Mirror
AND
ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.

FROM LONDON PAPERS.

ADDRESS
FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTORY TO THE FRENCH ARMIES.

Defenders of the country, the moment approaches when you are again to take up your victorious arms; the moment approaches when you are to quit a repose to which you consented in the hope alone that it would lead to an honorable peace; but all the seas of blood have not yet satisfied the rage of your enemies. They unquestionably imagine that we are about to abandon the fruits of our victories, at the very moment when success is ready to crown them. They imagine that we are about to demand of them as cowards a peace which we have offered them as generous enemies. Let them conceive these unworthy expectations; we will not be surprized; they have never combated for liberty; but what they cannot be ignorant of is, that the brave armies with which they wish again to try their strength, are the same by which they have been so often subdued; No, they have not forgotten the prodigies of French valor; they still recollect with terror both the redoubts of Gemappes, and the plains of Fleurus, and the frozen rivers of Holland; they recollect that the Alps and the Pyrnnees have opposed to you feeble resistance, and that the peninsula of Quiberon became the tomb of all the parricidal slaves, which, in the hopes of subjecting you to the yoke of a master, dared to set their feet on the soil of the republic. If they could have forgotten all, you will bring it to their recollection by blows still more terrible: you will learn them finally, that nothing can resist the efforts of a great nation which determines to be free.

Brave warriors, you have afforded an example of disinterestedness which cannot exist unless amongst republicans. Often times amidst the greatest scarcity of provisions, of an almost absolute want of the most indispensible objects, you have displayed that heroical patience, which, joined to your impetuous valour, so eminently distinguishes you, and will signalize you to all nations, and to the eyes of posterity Republican soldiers, you will preserve this great character; and at the moment when your situation has been ameliorated, when with an unanimous voice the representatives of the nation have taken measures to provide efficaciously for your wants, you will redouble also your vigour and courage, to put an end to a war which can be terminated by new victories alone.

In vain has the French government manifested to all powers which wage war against France, a sincere wish to restore at length the repose of exhausted Europe, it has in vain made to them the most just and moderate propositions; nothing has been has been capable of removing their deplorable blindness. Yes, brave warriors, you must still have victories; and it is your energy alone that can put a stop to this devastating scourge. Prepare therefore, for a last effort, and let it be decisive: let every thing yield to, let every thing be dissipated by your phalanxes; let the new flags of your enemies, carried off by your triumphant hands, form with the preceding ones, the trophy with which, in the name of France, always great in her misfortunes, always just in her prosperity, the equitable peace you will give to the world will be proclaimed.

LONDON, APRIL 25.

The committee for the investigation of facts relating to the discovery of Shakespeare's M. S. met on Saturday at Mr. Ireland's in Norfolk-street. It was both numerously and respectably attended. Among the gentlemen present, were Sir James Bland Burgess: Mr. Franklyn, Mr. Byng; Mr. Biggin; Mr. Nowton; Mr, Matthew; Mr. Albany Wallis; Mr. Bayley; Mr. Bacon; Mr. Townley, &c. &c. Some satisfactory communications were received from Mr. Ireland, jun. which have paved the way for the elucidation of this mysterious business; and Mr. Ireland, sen. stands completely exonerated from all participation in the matter, except in the mere act of publication. This, indeed, we have always known to be the case, and the world will be very speedily convinced of it. The steps taken by the committee, who are to meet again to-morrow, are such as can scarcely fail to fix a proper stamp upon these papers, either by establishing their authenticity, or by proving them to be forgeries.

CORSICA, MARCH 24.

"The neutrality of the port of *Smyrna* has been violated by the French, with three frigates seizing there the *Nemesis* English frigate. In consequence Admiral WALDEGRAVE, with his squardron, finding her at *Tunis*, with a French corvette and an armed brig, ordered the *Egmont* along side of the *Nemesis*. She ranged up close to her in the night, and the French, mistaking her for the *Tartar* frigate, beat to quarters.—On a view however, of the *Egmont* opening her lower deck ports, the *Nemesis* fired a gun, and struck. The corvette and brig were at the same time taken possession of, and another was run on shore and destroyed.

"In consequence of this proceeding, Mr. MATRA, the British consul, instantly left *Tunis* with his family, and is now on board the *Tartar*; but it is supposed he will return in a few days, the DEY being not unwilling to overlook the affair,

"Admiral WALDEGRAGE, his captain and Secretary, very narrowly escaped from *Tunis*, where a plan, it is said, was laid to detain them."

Office of Inspection,

Alexandria, June 28.

RETAILERS of foreign distilled spirits and wines will take notice, that prosecutions will be ordered against every person who may offend against the second section of the act of Congress of the 4th of June, 1794, entitled, "An act laying duties on licenses for selling wines and foreign distilled spirituous liquors by retail."

The penalties are as follow:

For selling foreign distilled spirits or wines without license—50 dollars.

For selling foreign distilled spirits or wines under colour of an old license or licenses, not in force—50 dollars.

And for selling foreign distilled spirits or wines, at more than one place, under colour of the same license—50 dollars. One half to be paid to the person giving information to this office, the other half to the United States. VINCENT GRAY, collector.

P. S. Owners of carriages will also take notice that unless they enter their carriages within 30 days after getting possession thereof, that they will be subject to the penalties of the law.

ALL persons having any demands against the estate of John De Butts, deceased, are desired to send in their legal vouchers, to the subscriber, on or before the 20th of July next; and such persons as are indebted to the above estate are desired to make their payments before the said 20th day of July, otherwise they will be proceeded against according to law.

SAMUEL DE BUTTS, Ex'r.

Trentball, June 20. 3t.

A House and Lot for Sale

on the lower end of King-street. For terms apply to the subscriber on the premises.

B. LANSTON.

June 30.

A DOG

OF the Pointer breed, liver-coloured and white is taken up—Any person proving him to be their property may have him again by applying to Mr. Duffey at the comb manufactory, Fairfax Street.

June 30.

Alexandria, June 30.

Abstract of a Letter from Capt. Joseph Honeywell, of the ship American Congress, to his Owner in this Town.

"*Fort Royal, Martinico,*
"*May 6, 1796.*

"I regret that the contents of my letter will be so unpleasing. After I had got the ship ready for sea, the Potomack put back in distress, having sprung a leak, and Mr. Ellis ordered me to take Capt. Fisher's passengers, which I did, and sailed from Nantz on the 6th of March for Gaudaloupe. On the 18th of that month, in lat. 30. 20. N. and long. 22. 30. W. I was boarded and taken by the Minotaur, Capt. Lewis, a British 74, convoying 26 sail of merchantmen to Barbadoes. On the 11th of April we arrived at Bridgetown, when they would not permit me to go on shore or have any communication with it. On the 13th they carried me on board the Minotaur, where I am now confined as a prisoner. They took all my people from the vessel when she was captured; the first mate and three men are now with me; and the second mate, with five of my men, have been put on board another 74. The part of the crew on board the Minotaur and myself (for we are served alike) live on an allowance of a pound of beef and a pound of bread per day. Previous to the Minotaur's sailing for this place, I requested permission to stay at Barbados, to take care of my vessel, and to put in a claim in case of trial, but was refused. I shall not leave the West-Indies until your vessel is cleared or condemned—if there is justice the latter will not take place."

Extract of a letter received by a merchant in New York, per the ship Diana, in seven days from Bermuda, dated 12th June.

"I am sorry to inform you that by the ship Lion, which arrived a few days ago from London, which she left the 1st May, positive orders are received from the Commissioners of the customs, to allow no West-India produce to be shipt from hence to any foreign port, without paying the foreign duties; and these are so high as to mount to a total prohibition. This order has been acted up to so strictly that several vessels which had, previous to the arrival of the Lion, taken on board West-India goods for America, were obliged to unload, and I am afraid, in consequeuce, the American trade will be knocked up."

Monday last, the 20th inst. sailed from New-York, in the ship James, captain Joseph Conklin, junior, *Rufus King*, Esq. minister plenipotentiary from the United States to the court of London, accompanied by his lady and family.

DR. PRIESTLY,

in his preface to his sermons lately preached in Philadelphia, has the following remarks.

"*The second part of Mr. Paine's Age of Reason* being published in this city, during the delivery of these discourses, I thought proper to animadvert upon such parts of it as appeared to me most deserving of notice. I had once thought of replying to this part of the work more at large, as I did to the first part; but I afterwards thought that assertions so extravagant and ill-founded, as Mr. Paine's generally are, may be safely left to have their effect, as it can only be upon the minds of persons so extremely ignorant and prejudiced, that no refutation would be attended to by them, so it would only be throwing *pearls before swine.*"

Having considered the favourable character of the scriptures, as given by Sir. William Jones, one of the greatest scholars of the age, a character which has been already published in this gazette, Dr. Priestley concludes, "When I compare the decided opinion of such a man as sir William Jones in which all men of learning will concur, with the confident assertions of Mr. Paine, who says the book of scripture are but modern compositions, I think of a man either really blind, or wilfully shutting his eyes, and declaing that *there is nothing to be seen.*"

Dr. Priestley had dedicated the above volume to the Vice-President of the United States. G. U. S.

The English papers complain that the French executive directory have sent an address to their armies in a stile of bombast, suited to their *exorbitant pretensions.*

What is this exorbitancy? Would they be so mad as to give back to Austria the provinces of Flanders, to the empire, Leige, and their other conquests on the French side of the Rhine? Is the king of Sardinia to get back Nice and Savoy. The crowned heads should have remembered a wise adage, *let sleeping dogs lye.* As they did not chuse to do so, they must abide by the consequence.

It is not yet four years, since the duke of Brunswick was going to burn Paris, and deliver up its inhabitants to *military execution.* This was *selling the skin on the bear's back.*

The French have killed the bear.—They have torn his skin from his shoulders. They have carried it off; and insist on keeping it. This is not a pretence, but a most substantial fact. Nor is it exorbitant, for the demand is reasonable, and all the force of all the enemies of France will not be able to shake it.

In April last, the Duke d'Angouleme, son to the Count d'Artois, visited the play-house of Edinburgh. He was received with all the customary formalities attendant on royalty.—When he entered the stage box, he was received with the most rapturous plaudits.

When James Stuart, in 1688, fled to France, the courtiers made no such noise about him. When he entered a public assembly, a Roman Catholic dignitary whispering aloud *there comes the man who lost three kingdoms for a mass.*

Reference hath been sometimes made to the mortality of the climate of the West Indies, among the English troops. The following recent instance shows the truth of this supposition. The twentieth regiment, consisting of seven hundred men, went sometime ago to that part of America. In April last the remains of them, amounting to about seventy, many of whom are since disembarked at Plymouth from the West-Indies.

The spectator, in one of his papers, gives us a common calculation, that, during a campaign, one fifth part of an army perishes by hardship without a stroke from the enemy. In the West-Indies, the computation may be safely raised to three or four fifths. Witness the destruction of this British regiment.

It requires not then the gift of prophecy to foretell what will become, within a twelve month hence, of the British troops who have lately landed in the West Indies. Very hopeful consequences may also be looked for from the practice which Britain has recently adopted by giving the negroes arms, and teaching them the military discipline.—The French have set the example, and carried the matter as far as it will go, by declring all black people free. Are these two nations tired of their West India territories, and desirous of being turned out of them? If so, some of their proceedings discover a great depth of political sagacity.

[*Maryland Journal.*]

It was announced some days since that the French Legislature had at last decreed to establish a lottery which, to judge from the debates recorded in the Paris papers to the 8th of April were

almoſt generally repreſented as immoral and a laſting diſhonour on every Government that reſort to ſuch an infamous means of filching the money of the people; and a Hamburgh paper of April 20, we find under the Paris head of April 10 the following paſſage: "Yeſterday was again a day of triumph for eloquence. The fine ſpeech of the deputy DREUX determined the Council of five Hundred to reject the project for re-eſtabliſhing the loteries."

The deputy DREUX recorded the following fact in his ſpeech:

MERLIN, the miniſter of general police, was requeſted, to grant permiſſion for eſtabliſhing 12 gaming houſes it the city of Paris, where however, he might exerciſe the ſevereſt police. For this favour he was offered a ſum of money, which would have been ſufficient to defray the immenſe expences, for maintaining the police in that vaſt capital. This propoſal would indeed have been very advantageous to the public treaſure. What did the Miniſter? He rejected the offer becauſe it was immoral. This ſaid DREUX is the line of conduct you ought to follow; reject a meaſure which deſtroys the reſorces of the poorer claſs of citizens, promotes idleneſs, and tends to corrupt the morals of a people to whom you owe Republican inſtitutes.

Dr. OLBERS, of Bremen, diſcovered on the 31ſt March a Comet, in the ſign of the Virgen near the 69 ſtar, according to FLAMSTEAD. It can only be ſeen by means of a good Teleſcope. [Aurora.]

By Poſt.

CHARLESTON, JUNE 16.

On Monday afternoon about three o'clock, a fire broke out in Lodge alley in the ſtable loft of Mr. Duprie.

There was about 150lbs. of hay in the loft, and the manner in which the fire was communicated to it, cannot be accounted for in any way but from deſign.

The wind was from the N. E. and freſh. The fire raged in an oblique direction to the S. W. for upwards of ten hours, and with increaſed rapidity ſpread itſelf through Union-ſtreet continued, Union-ſtreet, Queen-ſtreet, Kenloch's-court, Church-ſtreet, Bond-ſtreet, and Eaſt-bay, and the alley's that interſected them. Several of theſe ſtreets were almoſt entirely deſtroyed. The French proteſtant church, and the old beef-market, which has been lately thoroughly repaired, were among the buildings conſumed. The old church, St. Philip's, was ſaved by great and dangerous exertions, after having taken fire ſeveral times.

A number of very valuable private buildings were likewiſe conſumed, but as we cannot give an exact account of them, we decline it until we can.

The fire's firſt attack was near a body of wooden buildings, and its paſſage through them ſo rapid und violent, as rendered all the exertions of the citizens fruitleſs; and was ſcarcely impeded in its progreſs by a maſs of brick buildings.

The number of front dwelling-houſes burnt, is computed at about 300; the number of families unhouſed, about 600; the value of property loſt, from about 250 to 300,000 pounds; the loſs to underwriters from 20 to 30,000 only. Lives loſt but 3, but it is ſuppoſed there are more; numbers of people much maimed and hurt.

The citizens generally were active and indefatigable, their officers attentive, their judgment good and well directed.

Fire is a calamity, which has been often and ſeverely felt by our devoted city, but in no inſtance in a greater degree than the preſent: it equalled, if not ſurpaſſed, the devaſtation of the year 1778.

Careleſſneſs or deſign entails a ruin upon us, periodioally in ten years. The June of 1786 witneſſed to us almoſt equal horror and diſtreſs.

A number of citizens of humanity remark with horror, the exorbitancy practiſed this morning in market. It is obſerved to reſt chiefly with the negroes employed there. The owners of ſuch negroes are deſired to limit them to the uſual prices, until this calamitous event ſhall in ſome meaſure be paſſed over.

BOSTON, JUNE 21.

FROM DOMINIQUE,

MAY 23.

This day news arrived, of the complete capture of St. Lucia, by the Engliſh—after ſuffering a great loſs. The French, (whites) were few in number, and are to be ſent home—The mulattoes are to be tried by a court martial—the blacks to be ſold for the benefit of the Engliſh arms—and all the Engliſh, who had joined the patriots are to be ſhot.

J. SHEPHERD.

May 18, at St. Thomas's, news came down that Victor Huges had landed and taken the Saints, with 200 priſoners.

JUNE 27.

Flour is higher we believe, at preſent, in America, than in ſcarcely any other part of the world. Eighty barrels have lately arrived here from Surinam. It was purchaſed there for 8 dollars and paid a freight of two. One whole cargo, made a voyage from Norfolk to England, and then to Boſton; not finding a market. Flour, however, ſtill continues at a high price.

OF ST. LUCIA—DECISIVE.

Our laſt Mercury, contained accounts of the diſaſters which occurred to the Britiſh in the firſt part of their attempt upon St. Lucia. Their force, however, principally directed againſt this ſmall iſland, enabled them to continue the ſiege, (notwithſtanding their very ſevere loſſes) till the reſources of the French, weakened to ſtrengthen Gaudaloupe, were partially exhauſted. Poſſeſſed of an impregnable fort, Morne Fortuna, the Republicans could not be beat into a ſurrender; but the want of ammunition obliged them at length to capitulate. Among other ſtipulations in the capitulation, it is ſaid, that the whites were allowed to continue in poſſeſſion of their eſtates; the regular troops to be ſent to France—and the blacks to be ſent to Africa. The loſs of the Britiſh in conquering this iſland, and killed, wounded, ſick and deſerted, are mentioned to amount to 2 or 3000. The loſs of the French has never been ſuggeſted. Pigeon iſland remained in the hands of the French; but would, of courſe, ſurrender in a few days.

NEW-YORK, JUNE 24.

Extract of a letter from a reſpectable merchant at Gibraltar, to a mercantile houſe in New-York, dated May 9, per the Eliza, via. Philadelphia.

"The Algerines have given three months for the United States to accompliſh their agreement, which we hope will be time enough. We have ſome fear of a rupture with Spain, on account of ſome uncommon preparations making in Cadiz within theſe few days:"

PHILADELPHIA, JUNE 27.

Extract of a Letter dated Caymites, June 7, received by the brig Nymph, Capt. Sullivan, arrived at the Fort.

"The Brigands have adopted a new mode of warfare, which from deſtructive conſequences on our part, bids fair to be ſucceſsful on theirs. This is, to penetrate to our habitations avoiding the great roads and by-paths, and conſequently all our formidable poſts and camps, and thus daſh in among us when, lulled in ſecurity, we are in the arms of ſleep, and when, alas! that ſleep is our death. Several inhabitants in their beds have been murdered, their houſes robbed, and their ſtrong healthy negroes driven away; ſo recently as three days ſince, a gentleman whoſe cuſtom it was to ſleep late, was murdered at table, by a bayonet plunged into his breaſt, and what is wonderful, his wife and infant, juſt returned from Baltimore, eſcaped in the woods. We are in continual alarm; at preſent there are parties out every day, and at night the planters redezvous at one place to repoſe."

PUBLIC SALES.

THIS DAY,

At 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the houſe of John B. Dabney, will poſitively be ſold, all the

Houſehold Furniture

of the ſaid Dabney, conſiſting of beds, ſide boards, dining and card tables, prints, andirons, ſhovels and tongs, &c. &c.

MARSTELLER & SONS.

June 30.

Will be ſold TO-MORROW at 4 o'clock in the afternoon on Col. Hooe's wharf,

A SCHOONER

Of about 25 tons burthen with all her tackle and apparel; about 500 buſhels Coal and 2000 lb. of beſt Cavenger's Chewing Tobacco.

MARSTELLER & SONS.

June 30.

On TUESDAY next at 10 o'clock in the morning will be peremptorily ſold at the Vendue Store,

A QUANTITY OF

DRY GOODS.

on a credit of three and ſix months, for negotiable notes with approved indorſers.

CONSISTING OF

Muſlins, Muſlinets, Callicoes, Jacket Patterns, Caſſimeres, Silks, Silk Ribbands, Hard-ware, Jewelry, Lace and Fringe, with a variety of other articles.

MARSTELLER & SONS.

June 30.

HYSON TEA

Of the lateſt importation and of an excellent quality

FOR SALE BY

THOS. WILLIAMS.

June 30.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, That Matthew Franklin Bowne & Co. have by their deed of truſt bearing date the 17th inſt. aſſigned unto me without any condition or reſerve whatever, all their property both real and perſonal as per ſchedule thereunto annexed, with all their books and papers any ways relative to their buſineſs.

Therefore, all thoſe who have any claims againſt them, are requeſted to leave the amount of ſuch claims legally authenticated with me; and all thoſe who are any ways indebted are deſired to make immediate payment as I am determined to bring the buſineſs to as ſpeedy a cloſe as the circumſtances of their affairs will admit.

JESSE SIMMS.

Alexandria, June 29.

THE Subſcribers have for ſale a quantity of WELL BURNT BRICKS near Capt. Taylor's wharf, which they will diſpoſe of low for caſh or approved notes. They have alſo for ſale a large quantity of Barrel Staves, Wharf Logs, white oak poſts, rails, and ſhip timber; any of which can be delivered on the ſhorteſt notice at the Maryland ſide of Potomac near Mr. Baley's. Terms may be known by application to Mr. Richard Maſters, Prince Street.

JOS. BOONE & BROTHER.

June 29.

Ten Dollars Reward.

STOLEN or ſtrayed from Dr. Cook's Lot near Alexandria, about the firſt inſt. a bright bay Gelding 14½ hands high: a dent on the left ſide of the neck; a white ſpot on the fore part of the off hind foot; a ſplint on each fore leg and a nick'd tail. Whoever brings ſaid horſe to the ſubſcriber ſhall receive the above reward and all reaſonable charges paid.

HENRY POLKINHORN.

June 30.

A Black Wench of good

Character and acquainted with houſe work, may find a birth for one or more years in a very ſmall family, where generous wages will be allowed; none need offer without a recommendation——Apply to the Printer.

Alexandria, June 30.

BY THE

PRESIDENT

OF THE

UNITED STATES.

WHEREAS by the firſt article of the terms and conditions declared by the Preſident of the United States on the 17th day of October, 1791, for regulating the materials and manner of buildings and improvements on the Lots in the City of Waſhington, it is provided, "that the outer and party walls of all houſes in the ſaid City ſhall be built of brick or ſtone," and by the third article of the ſame terms and conditions it is declared, "That the wall of no houſe ſhall be higher than forty feet to the roof in any part of the City, nor ſhall any be lower than thirfive feet on any of the avenues."

And whereas, the above recited articles have been found by experience to impede the ſettlement in the ſaid City, of mechanics, and others whoſe circumſtances do not admit of erecting houſes of the deſcription authorized by the ſaid regulations; It is therefore declared that the operation of the ſaid firſt and third articles above recited, ſhall be, and the ſame is hereby ſuſpended until the firſt Monday of December, in the year 1800; and that all houſes which ſhall be erected in the ſaid City of Waſhington prior to the ſaid firſt Monday of December in the year 1800, conformable in other reſpects to the regulatiens aforeſaid, ſhall be conſidered as lawfully erected.

Given under my hand this 25th day of June, in the year, 1796.

GEO. WASHINGTON.

Waſhington, Commiſſioner's Office, June 28, '96.

Publiſhed by Order of the Commiſſioners.

THOMAS MUNROE, C.

In a French catalogue lately publiſhed, is an article, mentioning a "*new Dictionary of the words with which the French language has been enriched by the Revolution.*"

COMMEMORATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

ON MONDAY EVENING, 4th inſt.

WILL BE PRESENTED,

A Civic Prelude, called

The Fourth of July;

OR, AMERICAN GLORY.

Songs, and Chorus to Independency.

The Anniverſary Addreſs to the SONS OF LIBERTY, to be delivered by Mr. M'Grath, in character of a Citizen Soldier.

On this occaſion, will be exhibited in tranſparent paintings, the Portraits of ſeveral diſtinguiſhed American characters, accompanied by that of

THE MAN BELOVED.

After the Prelude, a patriotic Play, particularly choſen for the night, will be performed, called

The Roman Father,

OR,

HE SAVED ALL WHO SAVED THE STATE.

"Superior ever muſt that HERO prove,
"Whoſe *firſt, beſt* paſſion is HIS COUNTRY'S LOVE."

End of the Play, M'Grath's comic Song of

PADDY'S POLITICKS;

Or, NEWS FROM EUROPE.

Mr. Marriott will recite an Ode on *The Glorious French Revolution.*

Between the Play and Farce, will be introduced the Republican Songs of MOUNT VERNON, and THE LAND OF FREEDOM, written by Mr. M'Grath.

To which will beadded a Farce, called

Croſs Purpoſes.

To conclude with

BUCKS, HAVE AT YE ALL!

By Mr. Marriott.

TO LET,

A Store Room well ſituated. Apply to the Printer.

June 30.

LINES

WRITTEN BY THE LATE MRS. MARRIOTT.

O'er lovely vales I'll ſmiling ſtray,
Where roſes bluſh on many a bough;
To weave a garland ſweetly gay,
And bind it blooming round my brow.

Simplicity ſhall be my guide,
The lily pale ſhall ſhe entwine;
And Truth array'd in angel pride,
I'll woo and make her ever mine.

And then, my ſweetly ſighing Muſe,
Attendant of my infant days—
Thou art too humble to refuſe,
Thy artleſs unambitious lays.

Sweet as to flow'rs are falling dews,
To me thy influence all divine;
And yet my ever penſive Muſe,
Fell Slander ſaid—thou art not mine.

Enchanting was that moment bleſs'd,
Love ſparkled in thy fancied eye;
Thou catch'd me trembling to thy breaſt,
And look'd indignant on the lie.

FOR SALE.

ONE hundred and fifty acres of Land in Loudon County, on Broad-run, near Gum-ſpring, 10 miles South of Leeſburg. There are about 65 acres in all cleared, the chief of which has been within five years under a good fence. Near 15 acres are in meadow in good order, more adjoining may be made, and with eaſe 20 acres can be watered, and the ſtream to run through the garden.

This land is fertile, and of excellent quality; the ſoil ſuperior to moſt in the country; very deſirably ſituated for farming; and is well watered and timbered. There is on ſaid land an orchard of choice young apple trees; ſome pear, peach, quince and cherry trees, in all about 200, ſome of which are bearing; a nurſery of trees, of which 160 may be planted out next ſeaſon: a convenient ſmall dwelling houſe with out houſes ſituated on a hill of agreeable deſcent within 40 yards of a ſpring of excellent water, with the run and part of the meadow before the door; a new barn 26 feet ſquare, and ſeveral ſmall houſes all built of logs; a garden neatly paled. This place is convenient to mills, and it is expected the new turnpike road will be made nearly adjoining. It is remarkabably pleaſant and healthily ſituated, and well deſerves greater improvements—I will diſpoſe of it with 25 acres of corn now in the ground in good order, for one half caſh and negotiable notes in the Bank of Alexandria, at 120 days for the other. An indiſputable title will be made by the ſubſcriber living on the premiſes, and poſſeſſion given to ſuit the purchaſer, who may be accommodated with the farming tools, &c.

HENRY PETERSON.

N. B. I will rent it if not ſold by the 1ſt of Auguſt, at which time I expect to leave this ſtate. H. P.

Loudoun County, June 20. t. f.

THE ſubſcriber begs leave to inform the Citizens of Alexandria, that he has juſt moved to this place where he intends carrying on the BRICK MAKING, BRICK-LAYING, and PLAISTERING BUSINESS extenſively. Thoſe Gentlemen who may think proper to entruſt him with their buſineſs, may rely on having the beſt materials, and their work executed in a neat and workman-like manner. He will furniſh all materials on reaſonable terms, if agreeable to his employers. Plans, with an eſtimate of the expences, will be drawn gratis for thoſe who employ him to build.

NICHOLAS VOSS.

May 19.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS we received a Note of Mr. Baldwin Dade's, given to Mr. John Taliferro for 120 dollars, which note has been duly paid by Mr. Dade.—And, as we have loſt or miſlaid ſaid note, we caution all perſons from taking it, and requeſt that, if found, it may be returned to Mr, Dade, or

R. PATTON and C. SCOTT.

June 23.

For Philadelphia.

THE SCHOONER

Dolphin,

CHALES POTTER, MASTER.

She will ſail in a few days, as ſhe has all her cargo engaged. She ſails faſt and has good accommodations for paſſengers—apply to the maſter on board at Harper's Wharf.

Lands for Sale.

ONE Tract of Land containing 600 acres, lying in the county of Northumberland, about 15 miles from the courthouſe of that county, ſituated on the great Wicomico river, near the place where it enters into the Cheſapeake Bay, and commands a beautiful and extenſive water proſpect. It is quite level, fertile and extraordinarily well watered, and equally healthy with any other part of the Northern Neck. There are 200 acres, or near that quantity of the land opened, and there is on the ſame a good peach and apple orchard. The remaining 400 acres is covered with uncommonly fine timber, which is very valuable as it lies ſo immediately on the bay and conſequently muſt anſwer the purpoſe of ſhip building. From this land the purchaſer may have a great convenience of carrying his produce to market, as there are a great number of ſea port towns contiguous to it. Land in Fauquier county will be received in exchange for that above deſcribed.

The ſubſcriber has alſo 800 acres of Land for ſale in Culpepper county, adjoining the land of Col. William Stantons; there is on the Land ſmall plantations cleared, the reſt is all wood, there is alſo on the ſame an excellent ſeat for a Griſt or Saw Mill on a good Stream and the greateſt abundance of Pine and Oak, ſuitable for Plank, and the Land lies about 25 miles from the Town of Frederickſburg, and on a branch of Rappahannock River, this ſituation is a very healthy and ſalubrious part of the country and in a very agreeable vicinity, two very eſſential neceſſaries to be conſidered as a purchaſer of Real Property. The terms of ſelling this Land may be known by application to the ſubſcriber living near Fauquier Court Houſe, and the terms of ſelling the Northumberland Traft may be known by application to Mr. Thomas Edwards of Brevington's neck.

April 23. WILLIAM BELL.

New Store and Cheap Ware-Houſe,

In Fairfax-Street, oppoſite Mr. George Hunter's.

JOHN DARBY & CO.

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen of Alexandria and its Vicinity, of their having received, by the lateſt arrivals from Europe, an elegant aſſortment of FANCY and other FASHIONABLE GOODS, which they this day opened for inſpection;

CONSISTING OF

Book, Jaconet, MullMull, Tambour, Japan, and Plain Muſlin; Book and Jaconet Muſlin Aprons and Handkerchiefs: Ladies, and Gentlemens' Cravats; beautiful Muſlin Shawls; ſtriped and checked Muſlins, apron breadth; plain and fancy Dimities; ſtriped and figured Muſlinets; faſhonable Ginghams for the Ladies; Marſeilles Quilting; half yard and yard wide Maſquerade and twilled Nankeens; elegant Waiſtcoat Shapes; Caſſicoes and Chintzes, Iriſh Linens well aſſorted; Spring Kerſeymeres and Broad Cloths; Boys', Ladies', and Gentlemens' black and coloured Hats; with every other article in the Fancy and Haberdaſhery Line, which they are determined to ſell on the loweſt terms for Caſh.

☞ The loweſt Price marked on each article, on which no abatement will be made.

Good allowance to wholeſale dealers.

May 22.

FOR SALE,

BY

WM. HARTSHORNE & SONS.

At their Warehouſe on Col. Hooe's Wharf

Liverpool and St. Ubes Salt— Dipt Candles—Beef in Barrels—Loaf Sugar in Do.—And a few Barrels of excellent Shad.

ALSO.

Several Lots and Houſes

In good Situations in Alexandria.

May 10.

Mandeville and Jameſſon

HAVE FOR SALE

Jamaica and Windward Iſland Rum
New England do.
Holland Geneva
Cogniac Brandy
Whiſkey
Beſt White Wine Vinegar
India Arrack and French Liquers in bottles
Madeira, Sherry, Liſbon, Teneriffe, Malaga, Port, } WINES, in Pipes, Hogſheads, and Quarter-Caſks.
Claret in caſes
Hibbert's London Porter and Brown Stout
Green Coffee
Muſcovado and Loaf Sugars
Imperial, Young Hyſon, Hyſon, Hyſon Skin, Souchong, Bohea, } TEAS, of the lateſt Importations, and beſt qualities.
Nutmegs, Mace, Cloves, Caſſia, Cayenne Pepper, Ginger, Allſpice, Rice, Salt, Copperas, Madder, Spaniſh Segars, Lieper's Snuff in bottles aſſorted, Fig Blue, Muſtard in bottles, Chocolate, White and Brown Soap, Mould and Dipped Candles, Anchovies, Raiſins in kegs and boxes, Muſhroom Catſup, India Nankeens, Soal Leather, Morocco Skins, &c. &c. which they will diſpoſe of by wholeſale or retail on reaſonable terms for Caſh or at the uſual Credits.

April 30.

R. Patton and C. Scott

HAVE imported in the ſhips Adriana, via Baltimore, and Alexandria to this place, a neat collection of

GOODS,

which nearly completes their Spring Aſſortment, and are now opening for ſale, on the uſual credit, at their wholeſale ſtore in King ſtreet. May 19.

W. J. HALL,

HAS RECEIVED,

By the Ship Sally, James Croudhiyl,

Part of his Spring Goods,

And hourly expects the Arrival of the principal part.

NOW ON HAND,

Broad and Narrow Hoes,
Nails from 4*d.* to 20*d.*
Hatts by the Box.
Porter by the Caſk.
Earthen Ware.
Seine Twine,
Window Glaſs.
Grindſtones.

And ſundry articles adapted to the Seaſon. Which will be ſold at the moſt reaſonable advance *BY WHOLESALE.*

SPRING GOODS.

BY ſundry conveyances the ſubſcriber has received his Spring Importation of DRY GOODS, with an aſſortment of HARDWARE, IRONMONGERY,

AND ALSO

LONDON BOTTLED PORTER.

both of the Brown, Stout, and Mild qualities in caſes hogſheads and hampers,

JOHN MANDEVILLE.

April 11th.

Thompſon and Veitch

HAVE JUST RECEIVED,

By the Jane and Eiza and the Parkman from Liverpool, and the Siſters from London,

A VERY LARGE AND GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

GOODS,

Suited to the Seaſon.

AMONG WHICH ARE,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

HARDWARE,

Which are now opening at their Warehouſe in Fairfax Street, and for ſale by the Piece or Package only.

They have alſo a number of well aſſorted Crates of QUEEN'S WARE

AND

PIPES in Boxes.

FOR SALE,

A LIKELY Mulatto Girl of ſeventeen years of age, who has been brought up entirely in my houſe, and is capable of performing any kind of work requiſite in a genteel family—for terms apply to the ſubſcriber living in Prince William County.

MARY PRESCOTT.

June 18.

Notice.

THE Stockholders of the Bank of Alexandria will pleaſe to take notice that the laſt payment of 75 dollars on each ſhare of the augmented ſtock will be payable on Monday the 4th of July next, and are informed that any Bank Notes from Philadelphia to Alexandria will be taken in payment. The ſtockholders are reminded that if they fail to make the payment, they will forfeit all the ſum before paid, for the uſe of the Bank, agreably to law.

By order.

GURDEN CHAPIN, Caſh'r.

P. S. As the Bank will be ſhut on the 4th day of July, the ſtock-holders are requeſted to pay in their ſubſcriptions on the Saturday preceding G. C.

Alexandria, June 16.

Bank of Alexandria,

JUNE 16, 1796.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subſcription Book is kept open at the Bank for the purpoſe of receiving ſubſcriptions to the augmented ſtock, and will continue open until the whole number of ſhares are filled up. By order of the board.

GURDEN CHAPIN, Caſh'r.

N. B. Any Bank Paper from Philadelphia to Alexandria, will be taken for the money to be paidat the time of ſubſcribing.

ALEXANDER SMITH

RESPECTFULLY informs the Citizens of Alexandria, and its vicinity, that he has ſelected and intends to have always for ſale, the beſt FLOUR for family uſe.—He alſo begs leave to inform the Public in general, that he has received an addition to his former aſſortment of BOULTING CLOTHS, warranted to be of the firſt quality, which are now open and will be ſold at the moſt reduced prices for caſh, at his dwelling houſe on Fairfax Street oppoſite the public ſquare, which Houſe is now to be ſet and may be numbered with the firſt ſtands in Alexandria for buſineſs.—Poſſeſſion will be given the firſt of June if requeſted.

May 21. tf

ELIZAEBTH ARMSTRONG

FROM PHILADELPHIA,

RESPECTFULLY acquaints her Friends and the public, that ſhe has taken that noted Public Houſe for ſeveral years paſt occupied by Mr. Flo. Mahuoy, where ſhe purpoſes to commence and continue buſineſs in the ſame line: and if cloſe attention, a full ſupply of every requiſite of the firſt qualities, neceſſary for the comfort, pleaſure, and ſatisfaction of the citizen and the traveller, together with well furniſhed ſtable, and faithfu attendants, will entitle her to public approbation, ſhe flatters herſelf with meeting their countenance and ſupport.

She is furniſhed with an additional ſtable, and an excellent clover lot for the refreſhment of horſes.

Martinſburg, May 20.

THE COPARTNERSHIP OF

Ford, Patton & Co.

HAVING this day expired, and diſſolved by mutual conſent, they requeſt all thoſe indebted to the concern at Alexandria, to make immediate payment to Robert Patton, Jun. and Charles R. Scott, who are duly authoriſed to pay and receive all debts due by, and to the concern, and alſo thoſe indebted to their ſtore at *Port-Tobacco*, to make immediate payment to John E. Ford, who will receive and diſcharge all debts due to and from that ſtore.

JOHN E. FORD,
ROBERT PATTON, Junr
CHARLES R. SCOTT.

Alexandria, April 12.

R. Patton & C. Scott,

BEG leave to inform their friends and the Public, that they intend to be regular in their importation of DRY GOODS: and have received by the Ship Siſters, from London, a ſmall part of their

SPRING GOODS,

And are in hourly expectation of the remainder, by the firſt veſſels from London and Liverpool, as they were all ſhipped in February.

April 14. t.f.

Stone Lime in Hogſheads

FOR SALE.

R. T. HOOE & CO.

June 10, 2 m.

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